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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH SEQUENCE RULES

Applicants submit herewith a revised sequence listing which is fully compliant with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821 through 1.825, in response to the Office Action mailed June 24, 1999. We submit herewith a Statement to Support Filing and Submission, a hard copy of the sequence listing and a computer readable form of the sequence listing (the diskette) as requested.

We believe that we have appropriately provided for fees due in connection with this submission, however, if there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this Response, please charge the fees to our **Deposit Account No. 06-1448**.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (617) 832-1242.

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